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In re Application of:

LISA ANNE LAFFEND

Serial No: 09/575,638

Filed: May 22, 2000

For: BIOCONVERSION OF A

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MICROORGANISM

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Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria VA 22313-1450 Case No.: CR9715 US DIV1

Art Unit: 1653

Examiner: Hope A. Robinson

PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

- 1. The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a proper reply to a notice or action by the United States Patent and Trademark office. The date of abandonment was the day after the expiration date of the three-month period set for reply in the Non-Final Office Action mailed June 8, 2004, plus any extensions of time obtained.
 - 2. This petition is filed within one year of the date of abandonment.
- 3. The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) was unintentional.
- 5. Accompanying this petition is a Response to the June 8, 2004, Non-Final Office Action.
- 4. The fee for Petition to Revive Unintentionally Abandoned Application under 37 CFR 1.17(m) of **\$1,500.00** is hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 04-1928 (E.I. du Pont de Nemours and Company).

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Applicants believe that there are no other fees associated with this submission; however, should an additional fee be due, please charge such fee to Deposit Account No. 04-1928 (E.I. du Pont de Nemours and Company).

Respectfully submitted,

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0,	EE TRANSMITTAL	Application Number	09/575,638				
	o 3 7005 For FY 2005	Filing Date	May 22, 2000				
	l * /	First Named Inventor	Lisa Anne Laffend				
ATENTO	Patent fees are subject to annual revision.	Examiner Name	H. Robinson				
N/VI	☐ Applicant Claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27	Group / Art Unit	1653				
	TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 1,500.00	Attorney Docket No.	CR9715 US DIV1				

ME	FEE CALCULATION (continued)								
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Deposit Accoun	Fee	Entity	Fee	Entity Fee		Fee			
		Code	(\$)	Code	(\$)	Fee Description	Paid		
Deposit Account	04-1928	105	130	205	65	Surcharge – late filing fee or oath			
Number		127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.			
Deposit Account Name E.I. du Pont de Nemours and Company			130	139	130	Non-English specification			
			2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination			
The Commissione	112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action				
Charge fee(s) in Charge any add	113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action				
Charge fee(s) in	115	120	215	60	Extension for reply within first month				
above-identified	116	450	216	225	Extension for reply within second month				
	FEE CALCULATION	117	1020	217	510	Extension for reply within third month			
		118	1,590	218	795	Extension for reply within fourth month			
	LING FEE	128	2,160	228	1,080	Extension for reply within fifth month			
	Small Entity	119	500	219	250	Notice of Appeal			
	Fee Fee <u>Fee Description</u> code (\$)	120	500	220	250	Filing a brief in support of an appeal			
	201 500 Utility filing fee	121	1000	221	500	Request for oral hearing Petition to institute a public use			
106 430	206 215 Design filing fee	138	1,510	138	1,510	proceeding			
107 660	207 330 Plant filing fee	140	500	240	250	Petition to revive – unavoidable			
108 1400	208 700 Reissue filing fee	141	1,500	241	750	Petition to revive – unintentional	1,500		
114 200	214 100 Provisional filling fee	142	1,400	242	700	Utility issue fee (or reissue)			
		143	800	243	400	Design issue fee			
	SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 0	144	100	244	550	Plant issue fee			
0 57704 01 419	LEEC	122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	<u> </u>		
2. EXTRA CLAIN	Extra Fee from Fee	123	50	123	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)			
Total Claims	Claims below Paid	126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt			
Independent	-3 = X 200 =	581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)			
Claims		146	790	246	395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))			
Dependent L	X 360 =	149	790	249	395	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))			
Large Entity Fee Fee	Fee Fee Fee Description	179	790	279	395	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)			
Code (\$) 103 50	Code (\$) Fee Description 203 25 Claims in excess of 20	169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a			
103 50	203 25 Claims in excess of 20 202 100 Independent claims in excess of 3			I		design application	 		
104 360	204 180 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	Othor	foo (cnar	sif.A					
109 200	209 100 ** Reissue independent claims over	Other fee (specify)							
original patent 110 50 210 25 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent									
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